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YEAS—409

Abraham	DeGette	Kaptur
Adams	Delaney	Katko
Aderholt	DeLauro	Keating
Aguilar	DeBene	Kelly (IL)
Allen	Demings	Kelly (MS)
Amash	Denham	Kelly (PA)
Amodei	Dent	Kennedy
Arrington	DeSantis	Khanna
Babin	DeSaulnier	Kihuen
Bacon	DesJarlais	Kildee
Banks (IN)	Deutch	Kilmer
Barletta	Diaz-Balart	Kind
Barr	Dingell	King (IA)
Barragán	Doggett	King (NY)
Barton	Donovan	Kinzinger
Bass	Doyle, Michael	Knight
Beatty	F.	Krishnamoorthi
Bera	Duffy	Kuster (NH)
Bergman	Duncan (SC)	Kustoff (TN)
Beyer	Duncan (TN)	Labrador
Biggs	Dunn	LaHood
Bilirakis	Ellison	LaMalfa
Bishop (GA)	Emmer	Lamborn
Bishop (UT)	Engel	Lance
Black	Eshoo	Langevin
Blackburn	Espallat	Larsen (WA)
Blum	Estes (KS)	Latta
Blumenauer	Esty (CT)	Lawrence
Blunt Rochester	Evans	Lawson (FL)
Bonamici	Farenthold	Levin
Bost	Faso	Lewis (GA)
Boyle, Brendan	Ferguson	Lewis (MN)
F.	Fitzpatrick	Lieu, Ted
Brady (PA)	Fleischmann	Lipinski
Brady (TX)	Flores	LoBiondo
Brat	Fortenberry	Loeb sack
Bridenstine	Foster	Lofgren
Brooks (AL)	Fox	Long
Brooks (IN)	Franks (AZ)	Loudermilk
Brown (MD)	Frelinghuysen	Love
Brownley (CA)	Fudge	Lowenthal
Buchanan	Gabbard	Lowey
Buck	Gaetz	Lucas
Bucshon	Gallagher	Luetkemeyer
Budd	Galligo	Lujan Grisham,
Burgess	Garamendi	M.
Bustos	Garrett	Lujan, Ben Ray
Butterfield	Gibbs	Lynch
Byrne	Gohmert	MacArthur
Calvert	Gonzalez (TX)	Maloney,
Capuano	Goodlatte	Carolyn B.
Carbajal	Gosar	Maloney, Sean
Cárdenas	Gottheimer	Marchant
Carson (IN)	Gowdy	Marshall
Carter (GA)	Granger	Massie
Carter (TX)	Graves (GA)	Mast
Cartwright	Graves (LA)	Matsui
Castor (FL)	Graves (MO)	McCarthy
Castro (TX)	Green, Al	McCaul
Chabot	Green, Gene	McClintock
Chaffetz	Griffith	McCollum
Cheney	Grijalva	McEachin
Chu, Judy	Grothman	McGovern
Cicilline	Guthrie	McHenry
Clark (MA)	Hanabusa	McKinley
Clarke (NY)	Harper	McMorris
Clay	Harris	Rodgers
Cleaver	Hartzler	McNerney
Clyburn	Hastings	McSally
Coffman	Heck	Meadows
Cohen	Hensarling	Meehan
Cole	Herrera Beutler	Meeks
Collins (GA)	Hice, Jody B.	Meng
Collins (NY)	Higgins (LA)	Messer
Comer	Higgins (NY)	Mitchell
Comstock	Hill	Moolenaar
Conaway	Himes	Mooney (WV)
Conyers	Hollingsworth	Moulton
Cook	Huffman	Mullin
Cooper	Huizenga	Murphy (FL)
Correa	Hultgren	Murphy (PA)
Costa	Hunter	Nadler
Costello (PA)	Hurd	Napolitano
Courtney	Issa	Neal
Cramer	Jackson Lee	Noem
Crawford	Jayapal	Nolan
Crist	Jeffries	Norcross
Crowley	Jenkins (KS)	Nunes
Cuellar	Jenkins (WV)	O'Halleran
Culberson	Johnson (GA)	O'Rourke
Cummings	Johnson (LA)	Olson
Curbelo (FL)	Johnson (OH)	Palazzo
Davidson	Johnson, E. B.	Pallone
Davis (CA)	Johnson, Sam	Palmer
Davis, Rodney	Jones	Panetta
DeFazio	Jordan	Pascrell

Paulsen	Rutherford	Thornberry
Payne	Ryan (OH)	Tiberi
Pearce	Sánchez	Tipton
Perlmutter	Sanford	Titus
Perry	Sarbanes	Tonko
Peters	Scalise	Torres
Peterson	Schakowsky	Trott
Pingree	Schiff	Tsongas
Pittenger	Schneider	Upton
Pocan	Schrader	Valadao
Poe (TX)	Schweikert	Vargas
Poliquin	Scott (VA)	Veasey
Polis	Scott, Austin	Vela
Posey	Scott, David	Velázquez
Price (NC)	Sensenbrenner	Visclosky
Quigley	Serrano	Wagner
Raskin	Sessions	Walberg
Ratcliffe	Sewell (AL)	Walden
Reed	Shea-Porter	Walker
Reichert	Sherman	Walorski
Renacci	Shimkus	Walters, Mimi
Rice (NY)	Shuster	Walz
Richmond	Simpson	Waters, Maxine
Roby	Sinema	Watson Coleman
Roe (TN)	Smith (MO)	Weber (TX)
Rogers (AL)	Smith (NE)	Webster (FL)
Rogers (KY)	Smith (NJ)	Welch
Rokita	Smith (TX)	Wenstrup
Rooney, Francis	Smith (WA)	Westerman
Rooney, Thomas	Smucker	Williams
J.	Soto	Wilson (FL)
Ros-Lehtinen	Speier	Wilson (SC)
Rosen	Stefanik	Wittman
Roskam	Stewart	Womack
Ross	Stivers	Woodall
Rothfus	Suozzi	Yarmuth
Rouzer	Swalwell (CA)	Yoder
Roybal-Allard	Takano	Yoho
Royce (CA)	Taylor	Young (AK)
Ruiz	Tenney	Young (IA)
Ruppersberger	Thompson (CA)	Zeldin
Rush	Thompson (MS)	
Russell	Thompson (PA)	

NOT VOTING—21

Bishop (MI)	Joyce (OH)	Rohrabacher
Connolly	Larson (CT)	Sires
Davis, Danny	Lee	Slaughter
Frankel (FL)	Marino	Turner
Gutiérrez	Moore	Wasserman
Holding	Newhouse	Schultz
Hoyer	Pelosi	
Hudson	Rice (SC)	

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So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The title of the bill was amended so as to read: "A bill to reform programs of the Transportation Security Administration, and for other purposes."

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 1695, REGISTER OF COPYRIGHTS SELECTION AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT OF 2017

Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 115-95) on the resolution (H. Res. 275) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1695) to amend title 17, United States Code, to provide additional responsibilities for the Register of Copyrights, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

MOMENT OF SILENCE HONORING FORMER REPRESENTATIVE DAWSON MATHIS

(Mr. BISHOP of Georgia asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. BISHOP of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, it is with a heavy heart and solemn remembrance that I rise today to pay tribute to an outstanding public servant and friend of longstanding, the Honorable Dawson Mathis. Sadly, former Congressman Mathis passed away on Monday, April 17, 2017. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, April 29, 2017, at 2 p.m. in Nashville, Georgia.

A Georgia man through and through, Dawson Mathis was born on November 30, 1940, in Berrien County, to Marvin Wilbur Mathis and Nell Dawson Abell. He attended South Georgia College, now South Georgia State College, in Douglas. Before seeking public office, Dawson made a name for himself as the anchor and news director at WALB-TV in Albany, Georgia, from 1964 until 1970.

That year, the young 29-year-old Dawson was elected to represent Georgia's Second Congressional District in the United States House of Representatives. He served on the House Agriculture Committee where he was a staunch advocate for the farmers, ranchers, and producers of the district and the Nation. He was known for working with lawmakers across the aisle to find common ground that would best serve the interests of Americans across the country.

In 1980, Congressman Mathis ran unsuccessfully for the United States Senate. After being defeated in 1982 to regain his House seat, Congressman Mathis became a lobbyist in Washington, D.C., advocating on behalf of groups including Georgia peanut farmers.

George Washington Carver once said: "No individual has any right to come into the world and go out of it without leaving behind him distinct and legitimate reasons for having passed through it." Indeed, Congressman Dawson Mathis devoted many years of dedicated service to the people of Georgia through his meaningful contribution of energy, skill, and genuine passion, and for it, he will be remembered for years to come.

On a personal note, Congressman Mathis was one of my predecessors in serving the Second Congressional District of Georgia, and I was blessed with his friendship, counsel, and mentorship over the years. Congressman Mathis was a great Representative for southwest Georgia and rural America, and I looked up to him as an example of how a public servant should serve his constituents.

Mr. Speaker, my wife, Vivian, and I, along with the more than 730,000 residents of Georgia's Second Congressional District, salute Congressman Dawson Mathis for his outstanding

public service and his everlasting commitment to improving the quality of life for our citizens. I ask my colleagues here in the House of Representatives to join us in extending our deepest condolences to Congressman Mathis' family and friends during this difficult time.

We pray that they will be consoled and comforted by an abiding faith and the holy spirit in the days, weeks, and months ahead.

Mr. Speaker, I ask at this time for the House to observe a moment of silence in remembrance of the late Congressman Dawson Mathis.

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RECOGNIZING THE 17TH ANNUAL MIRACLE MAKERS FASHION SHOW AND LUNCHEON

(Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN. Mr. Speaker, I would like to recognize the Women's Committee of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Miami as the members gear up to celebrate the 17th annual Miracle Makers Fashion Show and Luncheon on April 27.

Through its mentoring programs, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Miami has given our community over 50 years of proven success in providing at-risk youth with the tools and resources to discover their true potential and thrive in their personal, academic, and professional lives.

Thanks to the invaluable dedication of its staff and volunteers, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Miami has rightfully earned its reputation as the gold standard of mentoring youngsters.

The upcoming Miracle Makers Fashion Show will highlight some of our community's most outstanding miracle makers while bringing attention to the positive impact that mentoring has on our youth.

I encourage all south Floridians who want to give back to our community to lend their time and their support to Big Brothers Big Sisters of Miami. Together, we can make a brighter future for all.

INDEPENDENT COMMISSION NEEDED

(Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY. Mr. Speaker, today, as a member of the House Oversight Committee, I had the opportunity to view classified documents related to General Michael Flynn's disturbing foreign financial relationships.

I am very proud that Chairman CHAFFETZ and Ranking Member CUMMINGS worked together in a bipartisan fashion to bring those documents before our committee. The issue of Rus-

sian interference in our democracy is an issue that affects everyone. I hope that all Members will have the chance to review these critical materials.

While the information in these documents is classified, I remain profoundly disturbed by the additional questions they raised. Unfortunately, I also remain very concerned about how they are being portrayed by the White House.

This growing credibility gap between the administration and the American people only underscores the need for an independent commission to uncover all the facts. I am heartened, however, that today, Chairman CHAFFETZ and Ranking Member CUMMINGS came together in a bipartisan fashion regarding this issue.

COAL REGULATIONS

(Mr. ROTHFUS asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. ROTHFUS. Mr. Speaker, there has been a lot of talk lately about President Trump's first 100 days in office.

The first 100 days of an administration offer a chance to watch a new President turn proposed policy changes into reality. In southwestern Pennsylvania, we are seeing President Trump fulfill his pledge to end the war on coal, and we are seeing real change.

For example, the very day that President Trump signed legislation overturning one of former President Obama's anti-coal rules, a coal company in Somerset County announced it would open a brand-new coal mine that will create at least 70 new middle class jobs. It would be great if President Trump can make it out to the mine's grand opening ceremony scheduled for June 8.

I have met with miners as their mines were closed during the previous administration, and I listened to their stories as they worried about their kids and paying their mortgages.

It is a new day, Mr. Speaker, and I look forward to more employment opportunities being created as we begin to roll back the job-killing regulations in Washington, D.C.

REJECT DANGEROUS CUTS

(Mr. KILDEE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. KILDEE. Mr. Speaker, last week in Michigan, I toured the Bay Area Women's Center, which provides emergency shelter and counseling to survivors of domestic violence or sexual violence and their children. I toured the Women's Center to get a better understanding of their important work and see what they do and how they would be impacted by President Trump's proposed budget cuts.

Two-thirds of the Women's Center's budget comes from Federal grants

through the Violence Against Women Act, one of the first bills I cosponsored. I saw it signed into law by President Obama.

I am concerned that the cuts that President Trump has proposed would effectively eliminate the important lifesaving care and rescue this organization provides to women, children, and others facing domestic violence. There are 15,000 citizens in mid-Michigan who could lose access to these lifesaving, important services.

What kind of country are we if we don't provide this sort of support to our most vulnerable citizens at the moment of their need?

We need to reject these dangerous cuts.

GE'S ECONOMIC IMPACT IN NORTH CAROLINA

(Ms. FOXX asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. FOXX. Mr. Speaker, tomorrow, GE will hold its 2017 Annual Meeting of Shareowners in Asheville, North Carolina. The company will also be celebrating its 125th anniversary.

GE likes to hold its shareowners meeting in a different city each year to highlight the company's strong presence in communities across the United States. It certainly has significant business operations in North Carolina.

GE supports nearly 18,000 jobs in the State between its direct employees and its suppliers. For every one GE job, three North Carolina jobs are supported. The company also generates \$7.2 billion in total production output per year in North Carolina, and compensates its employees more than twice the State average.

GE makes this investment in our great State because it knows that the workers in North Carolina, especially those at the GE facility in West Jefferson, in the Fifth District, work hard and have a commitment to excellence.

AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH

(Mr. LANGEVIN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. LANGEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in recognition of Autism Awareness Month.

It is shocking to know that at least 1 in 68 children have been identified with autism spectrum disorder in the United States. My own family has been affected by this situation with my nephew Joshua, who is now 20 years old, a bright and energetic young man who is autistic.

Mr. Speaker, early detection and treatment plans are crucial to the development of a child's social, behavioral, and communications skills. As such, we must invest in the research of new interventions, provide support to families and caregivers, and fund programs that assist those living with autism well into adulthood. Right now,